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REPLY AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action issued on April 9, 2008, Applicants submit the following remarks.